

Nominating Clara Barton

I have acknowledged this -

22 RIVER ROAD

NYACK, NEW YORK

Clara Barton

Very

Yours

1850

Mr Van Wyck Brooks

Authors Study  
Bridgeport Conn.

Dear Mr Brooks:

Will you kindly consider Clara  
Barton's name for the Hall of Fame.  
You will recall her meeting the  
ill of isolation and declaring as she  
stood all alone:

"I will not desert the Poet"

"I will not leave my Country  
in the list of Barbarians"

"I will plant the flag of  
Humanity in the stars and stripes"

Believing you will vote for  
her

I am with Esteem  
(des) P. H. E. Ples

Authentic  
of Clara Barton  
(was William)